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RESPONSE

Box AF Commissioner For Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on May 18, 2004.

Claims 22-28 were already cancelled, as indicated in the attached copy of the Request for Reconsideration filed August 12, 2002. If necessary, Applicant hereby cancels claims 22-28 without prejudice.

This case is in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on June 10, 2002. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 22-28 without prejudice.